

BASEBALL—AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL ATHLETICS.

WALLACE AND PADDEN PRESENT GAME TO WASHINGTON TEAM

The St. Louis Shortstop Throws Ball Into Right Field Bleachers.

SUGDEN BUTTS INTO THE GAME

Visiting Catcher Makes It Possible for Clarke to Circle the Bases.

GAME FULL OF EXCITEMENT

Bill Clarke the Hero of the Afternoon With a Home Run and Two Runs to His Credit—Padden Makes a Number of Brilliant One-Handed Stops.

Much obliged to you, Mr. Wallace, for that b-a-a-a-t-t-t-t throw into the bleachers in the eighth inning yesterday afternoon.

And the editorial lid is slipped to you also, Mr. Sugden, for your extreme kindness in putting into the score and blocking the ball when it was returned to the field. No wonder Manager McAleer uttered a few choice opinions about your expertise as a butter-in. Anyway, you assisted Shortstop Wallace in handing us a game that was chock full of interest, and we'll never forget your goodness in the matter.

You permitted us to hunch away from those Cleveland Spiders, and by the time the young athletes from the Ohio town get through with their forthcoming visit to the Capital we may find that game of yesterday will come in mighty handy.

Anyway, the thanks of the entire local baseball populace are due to you two ordinarily unfriendly ballists from the big Missouri city.

Plenty of Fast Plays.

Nobody at the Washington-St. Louis game yesterday could complain at not getting his money's worth. There were any number of fast plays executed, and the windup came our way in a manner to make most of the out and out fans label the Senators real ITS in the baseball business—for one day, anyway.

The game was a most orderly and well conducted affair up to the eighth inning. True, Admiral Bill Clarke had displayed his prowess as a swifter by hitting one of Powell's curves over the left fence, after we were one run to the bad, and this tying of the score made the contest more interesting than ever. Things proceeded very evenly and uneventfully up to the eighth inning, although every time Clarke came to the bat the throng implored him to knock the ball over the fence once more.

Clarke was unequal to this Herculean task, but along toward the end of the game, fortune proved that she was with the admiral for fair.

Wallace's Awful Throw.

With the tally an even-up affair when the eighth stage of the proceedings was inaugurated, "Bones" Ely provoked a bit of enthusiasm by smashing out a clean base hit.

Then when Clarke stepped up to the plate he was reminded of his immense swiftness of the third inning. Did he then proceed to lift the ball over into the lake again? Not a bit of it; he contented himself with cracking a corking hit down to Powell, who stopped it, and threw to Wallace at second.

Just at this point is where Wallace slopped over in his anxiety to make his third double-play of the afternoon.

Instead of carefully taking aim, as is his wont, he hurled the ball ten feet west of John Anderson, my son Jo, who was located on the infield cushion, prepared to receive the throw and retire Clarke. The sphere landed on the District of Columbia a few feet in front of the railing separating the bleachers from the field and giving a bound, rolled over into the crowd. Big Anderson was after it in a jiffy, too, and when he recovered the ball he fired it in the direction of the home plate.

Sugden Butts In.

Catcher Sugden, who works on the St. Louis club every once in a while, had become very much excited, and had hastened up to the home plate. When the ball came rolling up to him he imagined for the moment that he was in the game, and picking up the leather, he threw it into the middle of the diamond, evidently thinking that he would cut an end to the "blocked ball" business.

But his action was most unfortunate, for the ball was not blocked—that is it was not up to the time he handled it.

Bill Clarke in the meantime was hurrying around the bases, assisted by many pairs of waving Senatorial arms, shrieks of encouragement, and howls of unalloyed delight. By the time Clarke came puffing into the third station, he momentarily halted, until he perceived Sugden's butt-in, and then he came romping in with the run that won the game.

Enthusiasm and Excitement.

Perhaps there wasn't lots of enthusiasm and excitement prevailing just then.

When?

It seemed as if everybody was trying to outdo his neighbor in the matter of making a racket. The cheering continued for several minutes, the St. Louis men while wondering how it all happened, and Manager McAleer saying unkind things to Sugden, and when the managerial vocal organs became tired he started to talk with his fingers. But the damage was all done, and even if the Washington men were unable to get another player over the home plate during the rest of the inning the visitors were not equal to the task of tying the score when they had their turn at the hitting in the last inning.

It was a great finish to a game that

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Washington, 2; St. Louis, 1.
Boston, 5; Chicago, 3.
Detroit, 8; Baltimore, 0.
Philadelphia, 11; Cleveland, 10.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at Baltimore.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Boston.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	Won.	Lost.	P.Ct.		Won.	Lost.	P.Ct.
Chicago	42	29	.592	Washington	36	39	.480
St. Louis	40	32	.556	Cleveland	35	41	.461
Philadelphia	39	32	.549	Baltimore	32	43	.427
Boston	40	33	.525	Detroit	30	42	.417

was, generally speaking, one of the best of the year.

Washington Fields Perfectly.

Washington put up a perfect game in the field, while the St. Louis errors were charged to Jesse Burkett—a dropped fly in the third inning, when Ryan hit to left—and Wallace, that memorable overthrow into the bleachers. It is seldom these clever players contribute to the misplay column, but they erred all right yesterday.

Orth looked after the twirling for the locals, and put up a good game, even if the out of town crowd got more hits from him than we did from their pitching representative. Orth showed an inclination to become careless at moments, especially in the last inning, when he tried the trick of tossing up "dew drops" to McCormick, which the St. Louis third sacker took to very kindly, and smashed out as pretty a base hit as one could ask for.

Then Orth awakened to the fact that he was playing baseball, and was not a ping-pongist, and put more steam behind his work during the remainder of the inning.

Powell pitched a good game, even if Clarke did land on one of his fast ones and sent it a-scotching over the left fence, the run that revived the drooping local hopes and put us in the game.

Padden's Great Stops.

Undoubtedly the fielding honors belong to Padden, the visiting second baseman. Several of his stops—one-hand plays—were of the circus order, especially his catch of DeLoach's line drive in the sixth inning, when Ryan was on second, the result of a base on balls and Doyle's sacrifice. Did he bat never swung harder than it did on this particular ball, and never was Ryan more certain that he had a license to make for the base than when he saw Padden's chest.

But there was that man Padden at second. He merely threw out his hand to the left and the ball landed in his mitt and stuck there, and then he leisurely tossed it over to Wallace, completing a brilliant double play that commanded the approval of the crowd.

It is worthy of mention that none of the Washington players were crepe out of respect for their lately departed associate, Henry W. Wolverton.

The cause for thanks to Wallace and Sugden:

Washington	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Ryan, c.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Doyle, 2b.	2	0	0	1	0	0
DeLoach, ss.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Coughlin, 3b.	2	0	2	1	0	0
Lee, rf.	2	0	1	2	0	0
Carney, lb.	2	0	0	8	0	0
Ely, ss.	3	0	1	4	5	0
Clarke, c.	2	2	1	7	3	0
Orth, p.	2	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	25	2	6	27	11	0

St. Louis	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Burkett, cf.	4	0	0	1	0	1
Hempel, rf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Frier, lf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Anderson, lb.	4	0	0	8	0	0
Wallace, ss.	2	0	2	0	1	0
McCormick, 3b.	3	1	0	1	0	1
Padden, 2b.	4	0	1	4	5	0
Kahoe, c.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Powell, p.	3	0	2	0	4	0
Totals	32	1	8	24	12	2

Washington	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1
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First base by error—Washington, 2.

Left on bases—Washington, 1; St. Louis, 2.

First base on balls—Orth, 6; off Powell, 2.

Struck out—By Orth, 6; by Powell, 1.

Home run—Clarke, Two-base hits—Padden, Coughlin, Powell. Sacrifice hit—Doyle, Stolen bases—Ryan, Padden and Wallace, 2. Wild pitch—Powell. Umpires—Carruthers and Connelly. Time of game—1 hour and 35 minutes.

ORIOLES PLAY POORLY.

Put Up Ragged Exhibition and Detroit Wins Out.

(Special to The Washington Times.)

BALTIMORE, July 21.—Selver's fine pitching won for Detroit today. He held Baltimore to five hits.

The fielding of the Orioles was very ragged.

Baltimore.

R. IB. PO. A. E.

Gilbert, ss.

Salisbury, 3b.

Williams, 2b.

Casey, 3b.

Barrett, c.

Dillon, lb.

Robinson, c.

Ardr, rf.

McAllister, 2b.

Oyer, c.

Witte, p.

Totals

St. Louis

Detroit

First base on balls—Detroit, 2. Two-base hits—Larned, McGuire. Sacrifice hits—

Gleason, 2. Stolen bases—Gilbert, Oyer, Ardr, Beck, Gleason, Robinson.

Double plays—Elderfield and Gleason.

Bases on balls—By Witte, 3; by Selver, 4.

Passed ball—Robinson, 1. Struck out—By Witte, 2; by Selver, 4.

Left on bases—Baltimore, 2; Detroit, 4. Time of game, 2 hours. Umpire—Johnstone.

Attendance—2,600.

SCHRECK TO THE RESCUE.

Catcher's Timely Hitting Helps Athletics to Down Spiders.

(Special to The Washington Times.)

PHILADELPHIA, July 21.—The Athletics snatched another victory from the jaws of defeat after they had practically lost the game in the third inning.

In the seventh Moore's hand was hit by a liner, and before he retired the locals had tied the score.

Schreck again won the game, this time with a single. The battling of Hartzel and Thoney was a feature. The score:

Philadelphia	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Hartzel, cf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Fultz, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schreck, lb. and c.	1	2	0	0	0	0
Lyons, 3b.	1	2	0	0	0	0
Seybold, rf.	0	1	0	0	0	0
Murphy, 2b.	1	2	5	3	0	0
M. Cross, ss.	1	1	4	4	0	0
Powers, c. and lb.	2	2	4	0	0	0
Hustings, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Plank, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Waddell, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	12	15	27	13	1	0

Cleveland	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Bay, cf.	1	1	6	0	1	0
Bradley, 3b.	1	2	2	1	0	0
McCarthy, lf.	1	1	3	0	1	0
Hickman, 2b.	2	2	8	0	0	0
Bemis, rf.	2	2	0	0	0	0
Thoney, 2b.	2	3	4	2	1	0
Gochenaur, ss.	1	2	2	2	1	0
Wood, c.	0	2	0	0	0	0
Moore, p.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Wright, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	16	25	8	5	0

*Two out when winning run scored.

Philadelphia 1 0 0 0 1 1 5 0 1-11

Cleveland 1 1 5 0 0 0 3 0 0-10

Two-base hits—Thoney, 2. Bradley.

Three-base hit—Thoney. Home run—Hartzel.

Hit by pitcher—Bemis. First base on balls—Philadelphia, 5; Cleveland, 1.

Left on bases—Philadelphia, 11; Cleveland, 6.

Sacrifice hit—McCarthy.

Stolen bases—Hartzel, 2. McCarthy.

Struck out—By Plank, 1; by Waddell, 2.

Double play—M. Cross and Murphy. Wild pitch—Moore, 1; Wright, 1. Time of game—2 hours and 20 minutes. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—2,406.

CHAMPIONS LOSE AGAIN.

Fine Fielding and Dineen's Pitching Win for Boston.

(Special to The Washington Times.)

BOSTON, July 21.—Gilt-edged pitching by Dineen and almost perfect fielding won today's game for Boston.

While the Chicago batters were unable to touch Dineen except in the seventh and eighth innings, the locals swatted Patterson hard at times.

The visitors played perfect ball, but were weak at bat, Dineen having eight strike outs to his credit. The score:

Boston	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Dougherty, cf.	2	1	0	0	0	0
Collins, 3b.	0	2	1	0	0	0
Stahl, cf.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Freeman, rf.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Parent, ss.	1	2	0	0	0	0
Lachance, lb.	1	2	0	0	0	0
Ferris, 2b.	1	2	2	0	0	0
Warner, c.	0	2	0	0	0	0
Dineen, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	14	27	12	1	0

Chicago	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Strang, 3b.	0	1	1	0	0	0
Jones, cf.	1	2	5	1	0	0
Green, rf.	0	1	0	0	0	0
Davis, ss.	0	0	2	1	0	0
Mertes, lf.	0	1	2	1	0	0
Isbell, lb.	1	0	9	3	0	0
Daly, 2b.	0	1	2	1	0	0
McFarlane, c.	0	0	2	0	0	0
Patterson, p.	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	3	7	24	15	0	0

Boston	AB.	R.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two-base hits—Daly, Collins, Dineen.

Green. Three-base hit—Warner. First on balls—Off Dineen, 2; off Patterson, 1.

Sacrifice hits—Jones, Warner, Stolen bases—Parent, Struck out—By Dineen, 8.

Double play—Collins and Lachance. Umpire—Sheridan. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes. Attendance—3,747.

The American Henley.

The stewards of the American Henley regatta are vigorously denying the report that this event will cause an abandonment of the Intercollegiate boat races at Poughkeepsie and New London.

The Henley regatta will take place on the Schuylkill, either before or after the intercollegiate races. The time has not been definitely fixed as yet, but will be such that all the college crews can take part. Instead of being a four-mile course, such as is rowed by the college boys, it will be only a mile and a half.

M'GOVERN'S TRAINING PLACE.

Chooses New London, Conn., as Location for Doing Real Work.

It has been definitely settled that Terry McGovern will train for his championship bout with "Young Corbett" at New London, Conn. Sam Harris, manager for McGovern, went to New London on Friday to select suitable quarters, and the ex-champion and his trainers will reach there today to immediately begin preparations for the battle.

Harris has intended to have McGovern train at Saratoga, but as the running races will be in progress at the spa next month Harris figured that the crowds of visitors would hamper his protegee in his work, hence the change.

When McGovern goes into training he will have with him "Eddie" Coin, Art Simms and "Young" Sharkey to assist him in his preparations.

GOSSIP OF MEN WHO PLAY ON THE DIAMOND

Washington and St. Louis to Finish Their Series This Afternoon.

LAJOIE THE STAR TOMORROW

Big Turnout of Fans May Be Expected for the Cleveland-Washington Games—Pearls From the Lips of the Magistrate of the Reds.

Washington and St. Louis will play the last game of the present series this afternoon. Tomorrow Cleveland, with Lajoie, is due to engage the attention of the Leftists.

John T. Brush, the Cincinnati baseball magnate, who hates newspaper notoriety fully as much as any up-to-date actress, consented to be interviewed in New York the other day. The following are a few of the pearls of wisdom that fell from the lips of the proprietor of the Reds:

"There is not likely to be any differences between the Brooklyn and Cincinnati clubs over the acquisition of Kelly."

"It was discovered some time ago that while players would decline to return to clubs they had deserted, they might be willing to go to some other club in the National League, but almost without exception they refused to return to their former allegiance, because they feared that if they returned to the club they might take time advantage of them in some way in what they imagined would be an effort to get even with them for having deserted, that being the condition, all clubs last spring at the schedule meeting agreed to waive claim to all players who had ignored the right of reservation, except Philadelphia and St. Louis."

"Philadelphia had suits pending at that time which involved the validity of their contract, and that club would not give its consent that other clubs should negotiate with their players. If other clubs negotiated with their players it was to be upon their own responsibility, and not through any consent given by the Philadelphia club. St. Louis, making the same legal claim in the case of Harper, Hedrick and Wallace, declined to waive its rights to these players, but it waived as to the others. The Brooklyn club did waive, I am quite sure, except as to McGuire, for whom they have contended in the United States Court and have lost."

In an interview with a New York reporter McGraw said: "It is to be no more 'Muggsy' just cut that out, and I will show you that I can be a gentleman." Pretty hard work for Mr. John J. McGraw.

A majority of the board of directors of the Southern Baseball Association, at a meeting held at Birmingham, Ala., Sunday, issued an order that any club in the Southern League which plays with the Memphis club when either Frank or Stahl are participating shall be fined \$100. After the meeting an instance was named on Albert Powell of New Orleans, and C. F. Jackson, of Birmingham, restraining them from interfering with the Memphis club in any manner whatever.

Attorneys from Memphis and Birmingham made efforts to secure an injunction in time to prevent the meeting Sunday, but the directors eluded them.